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WEDNISOAY MORNING DECEMBER II

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GULF, COLORADO AND SANTA PR. Arrive. Leave

New Orleans, Houston & Hills p, m 11:00 a, m Lampasas, Cleburne & 11:15 p, m 11:00 a, m Temple.

S. P. C.

Successful Organization of the Married Folks' Cinb--Its Initial Entertain-

ment next Friday Night. At a meeting held yesterday by the gentlemen who are forming a married folks' dancing club, W. A. Garner was

treasurer.
The following committees were ap-

tainment Friday evening, December 13, 1883. On motion, the initials S. P. C. were adopted as the name of

this club.

The following gentlemen and ladies were unanimously elected members

To the Public. Some comments having been pade in the evening paper

made in the evening paper about the water supply at Monday's fire, which might mislead citizens who are not familiar with the

supply of water, through courtesy to the public we make some explanations.

All kinds of delicacies for the holi-day's at T. E. Ferguson & Mister's.

That Pearl flour is the boss. Try it.

Family Cafe.

Sample rooms for commercial men. Table supplied with all the market af-fords. Everything first class. Cor. 3d

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tered at the Post-office as second-clas-

Specialt.

We have received two car-loads of nails and one car-load of horse-shoes, and are prepared to fill all orders at bottom prices.

JOHNSON, AMBLER & YOUNG. Romolus N. Graham is out with spring samples of clothing from Ed-win Bates & Co., New York.

The Pearl flour makes the best bread

WILL GIVE A BENEFIT.

Response of Geo. B. Holland to the Request of the Firemen.

As will be seen by the following dispatch, received last night, G. B. Holland consents to give the firemen a benefit, and will turn over all the receipts at the door to them when he gives it. His action is commendable, and will be generally, appreciated. The performance will doubtless be such a one as all will delight in witnessing. The dispatch received is as follows:

CLEBURNE, December 11, '83. Editor GAZETTE :

I see in your valuable paper of this morning, the 11th, that a resolution was passed by the noble firemen of Fort Worth, asking me to give a benefit for the fire department at an early day. I will state that nothing gives me more pleasure than to state to the fire department that at a very early date I stall give a heavilt for early date I shall give a benefit for them, giving them the entire receipts. I cannot to-day name the night, as I shall want the benefit to be profitable as well as entertaining. Hence I have several arrangements to make before I give the benefit, as I shall want time to make such arrangements as shall make the benefit a success. Thanking the members for past favors and friendship shown me, I shall always be the friend and servant of the Fort Worth fire department. Respectfully, G. B. HOLLAND.

THIRD AND FOURTH WARDS.

Merchants in the Third and Fourth wards are complaining of light busi-

The railroad hospital is about fin-ished and is a credit to the companies and the city.

folks' dancing club, W. A. Garner was elected chairman.

The report of the committee on bylaws and permanent organization, appointed at the last meeting, Capt. B. B. Paddock E. E. Fosdick and E. J. Smith, was read and adopted.

The following officers were then elected: Capt. M. B. Lloyd, president; Robert McCart, vice-president; E. E. Fosdick, secretary; E. J. Smith, treasurer. A young man named Van Anderson, brakeman on a freight train on the Fort Worth & Denver railroad, met The following committees were appointed for a term of two months:
Reception committee—B. B. Paddeck, chairman, George Jackson, Robert McCart, John O. Ford and W. G. Newby.
Invitation committee—E. E. Fordick, chairman, S. W. Lomax and Max Elser.
Committee of arrangement—E. J.
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Luncheon committee—Mrs. George Dashwood, chairman, Mrs. W. F. Lake, Mrs. J. P. Alexander, Mrs. Howard Tully and Mrs. F. W. Ball.

It was then decided to give an enter tainment. Friday evening, December stated. The unfortunate man was about 23 years of age and a brother of Mr. Wm. Anderson, who is interested in Jones' restaurant on Main street, in this city. He was picked up by the train men and carried to Decatur, where a physician set the broken limb, and he was resulted. and he was brought to this city on the passenger train last night. Dr. Feild was called in and pronounced the limb in as good shape as could be expected. The young man is in quite a critical condition, but he will probably re-

of this club:
Robt.McCart and wife, F.W. Ball and
wife, E. E. Fosdick and wife, W. A.
Garner and wife, E. J. Smith and wife,
R. M. Wynne and wife, A. W. Chaney
and wife, Tuck Boat and wife, Henry
M. Furman and wife, A. M. Carter and
wife, J. R. Bartholomay and wife. wife, E. E. Fosdick and wife, W. A. Garner and wife, E. J. Smith and wife, R. M. Wynne and wife, A. W. Chaney and wife, Thock Roaz and wife, Henry M. Furman and wife, A. M. Carter and wife, J. B. Bartholomew and wife, J. P. Smith and wife, Charles Scheuber and wife, J. L. Hatcher and wife, J. J. Roche and wife, Charles L. Fost and wife, Thomas Vogel and wife, M. B. Lloyd and wife, George Jackson and wife, Leslie Mays and wife, B. C. Evans and wife, S. B. Burnett and wife, Wm. Brown and wife, J. H. Brown and wife, J. H. Brown and wife, A. M. Britton and wife, Chas. Phelan and wife, Captain J. M. Garth and wife, W. A. Huffman and wife, D. W. Goodwin nd wife, Goo, Dashwood and wife, W. F. Lake and wife, W. L. Malone and wife, Goo, Dashwood and wife, W. F. Lake and wife, George B. Loving and wife, W. J. Morphy and wife, M. B. Paddeck and wife, George B. Loving and wife, W. J. Morphy and wife, W. F. Maginnis and wife, W. M. Young and wife, H. Tully and wife, Mr. Montgomery and wife, R. E. Montgomery and wife, Hyde Jennings and wife, J. W. Z ook and wife, W. M. Toda and wife, J. W. Z ook and wife, J. W. Z ook and wife, J. W. M. Tod Yesterday afternoon Officer Witcher gomery and wife, R. E. Montgomery and wife, Hyde Jennings and
wife, J. W. Z sok and wife, W. M.
Cantrell and wife, J. P. Alexander
and wife.

the public we make some explanations. Our pumping capacity is one 'quadruplex engine of four pumps; we are now pumping with one of these over one million gallons per twenty-four hours, and fit case of fire it takes about one minute to attach more pumps, which is necessary to keep up proper fire pressure. With the present system of telephone to the pump-house it is sometimes several minutes before the engineer gets the alarm, but with the completion of the fire-alarm there should be no delay. In addition to these pumps we have an auxiliary pump of one million capacity, which gives us a greater capacity for fire puposes than any city in the rate. We fully appreciate the question of fire purposes than any city in the rate. We fully appreciate the question of the fire-alarm will be a great benefit in cuse of fires.

Respectfully,

Fr. WORTH WATER WORKS Co.

The large clock in the court house tower stands motionless, its hands pointing to 12:56 o'clock. We cannot tell whether the clock stopped in the light or day nor how many hours it is behind the standard time, but we do know its uselessness is felt by almost every one in the city and by our country cousins when they come to town. Who is to blame for this state of the clock? Is it broken beyond repair? Is it ever going to tell the correct hour of the day any more? It may be that it is a high tariff clock for it has not moved since Carlisle was nuisance unless it be kept in order, whether it is for high tariff, low tariff, free trade or protection.

Safe Cracking at Cleburne.

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Newest and best styles of wall paper at O. K. paint shop.

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PERSONAL.

W. L. Clarke of El Paso is at the Lindell.

F. Richardson of St. Louis is at the Lindell, M. F. Kelly of Hot Springs is at the Lindell.

H. M. Hook of St. Louis is at the

Lee Mosty, a cattleman of Lampasas, is in town.

Mr. John McCulloch of Scotland is at the Lindell.

J. Fuller of Spring Town, Texas, is at the Lindell.

S. G. Leslie of Alvord, Texas, is at the Clark house.

W. M. Waters of Galveston is stopping at the Lindell.

J. C. Moore of McKinney is registered at the Lindeli. Jno. S. Andrews got back last night from a visit to Dallas.

R. M. Ross of Jackson, Mich., is registered at the Lindell.

W. S. Bryson of Los Angelos, Cal., is stopping at the Lindell.

R. A. McNulty, a leading cattleman of Albany, is in the city. B. T. Leonard, a cattleman of Cisco,

was in the city yesterday. J. M. Williams, a greeery merchant of Meridian, is in the city.

W. J. Hart and W. O. Hamilton of Comanche are at the Lindell.

Andy Scanlon of the Texas & Pacific railway, is at the Clark house. Alvis Belcher, a prominent ranch-man of Clay county, was in the city

yesterday. Abe Hirsh of the firm of R. Monarch & Co, the great whisky firm, was In the city yesterday.

R. L. Harrell of Fort Stockton was at the Grand Central yesterday, but left the city last night.

Harry Lawrence of Chicago, representing the Tolu Rock and Rye Co., was in the city last night.

Major J. J. Jarvis is very seriously ili at his residence with hemorrhagic malarial fever or black jaundice. Mr. Frank Arthur, the pleasant and affable agent of Chas. E. Ford's opera company, called upon the GAZETTE

J. T. Still of Chattanooga, Tenn., formerly mayor of that city, was at the Grand Central last night, but let for Sherman this morning.

last evening.

W. D. Ferris, the agreeable commer-cial traveler for Martin Brown Co., got in yesterday from a successful tour of six weeks in the West.

Colonel J. W. Booth of Decatur, chief clerk of the 18th legislature, was in the city last night on his return from Cleburne, where he had been to attend a robbery case that had been postponed. He returns home this morning. morning.

R. P. Webb was so impressed with the push of Firt Worth during his recent trip here that he got stuck on it and going back to Nashville made his arrangements, came back yester-day, and this morning takes a position with the house of B. C. Evans. Such live men as he will always find a hearty welcome here.

"Our Strategists,"

The comedy, "Our Strategists," performed by J. H. Haverly's company last night at the opera house, was witnessed by about five hundred people, who were kept in an almost continuous roar of laughter from the rise of the curtain in the first act. the curtain in the first act until its fall in the last. For pure fun it equals anything which has yet appeared here this season. The play has much to commend it to the public, and all the parts were excellently sustained. The plot of the piece is woven around the fact that the fathers of two young people who are in love with each other

depot they wanted to get out, depot they wanted to get out, depot they wanted to get out, depot they wanted to get they wanted to get they wanted to get they wanted to get offer at Arlington with him and to get off at Arlington with him and return here to catch the parties, offering to board him two or three days free of charge, but was met by a refusal, Strone saying he must go to his wife. It is the opinion of the officers that Strone is a fraud and that he was trying to play Dickey for a sucker.

The City Clock.

The large clock in the court houses the rollicking pugnacious Irishman Terence O'Flam, and Will, H. Bray as the Dutch Sargeant Gumbleton, or pointing to 12:56 o'clock. We cannot sell whether the clock stopped in the last whether the clock is stopped in the last whether the clock is stopped in the last wheth

the "plantation negro" were very fine. Harry Trayer as the dade apothecary was extremely laughable.

Miss Kate Gilbert as Nellie Howard completely captivated her audience by her skillful and natural acting. She is a brilliant comedienne and with versatility enough to be suited to any line of comedy. Miss Mary Bates as Mrs. Major Harwood and Miss Millie Warren as Araminta were good support for this excellent company. "Our Strategists" was worthy of the public's patronage and deserve full houses wherever they perform.

The Fire.

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About seven o'clock yesterday evening a wild alarm was whistled from the water works, and three minutes later clanged from the city hall. The occasion was a very bright fire in the northwestern part of the city. A large crowd rushed over guilies and fences, mud and weeds to the spot, several firemen among them. The fire was in the stable and shed of Andrew Hagg, a hard-working carpenter living on Florence near Belknap. He had been working hard all day building his shed, which he had finished just before supper. Having eaten, he was sitting in the house when the alarm was sounded. Rushing out he saw his shed on fire and managed to get out his cow and calf, and his horse from the stable. The whole building was soon in flames. Part of the stable was saved by being pulled down. All the contents, consisting of harness, a saddle, feed, a kit of tools, etc., were burned in the building. The fire was evidently the work of an incendiary, as there had been no fire around. Mr. Hagg's loss is nearly \$200, and he had no insurance. He had only bought the place last week.

Coming and Not Coming.

Christmas day the public will not be without dramatic fun. as Ida Siddons' FemaleMastodons will be here. Among the attractions booked, but not coming, are Emma Abbott, Anna Dickinson, Lillian Spencer and Minnie Houk.

WHAT WE HAVE FOR SALE.

As winter weather is, generally speaking, cold weather, have filled our store with Good, Warm Clothing, calculated keep people from freezing. If you are afraid that we are not people from freezing. ing to have any winter at all, and you will call at our store, at will provide you with a linen duster or any other desirble surmer garment that you may happen to think of. If we shoulden happen to have what you call for, we'll get it for you. If you calculate as we do, however, you will purchase heavy clothin and flannel underwear. This "beautiful" weather, as the of maids call it, will not last until the first day of March, and you know it There is no occasion to run a "chase for bargains" Without running or chasing, you will always find desirable bargains in Men's Wearing Apparel at the one-price outfling establishment of

WASHER & AUGUST. Corner Houston and Fourth Streets.

Chas, Ford's Comic Opera Com-

The above named famous organization will begin a season of two nights at the Fort Worth opera house on Monday evening, December 17, open-ing in Millocker's charming and most Monday evening, December 17, opening in Millocker's charming and most successful comic opera in three acts, entitled "The Beggar Student." This opera is all the rage at present in the German cities from the Rhine to the Vistula, and it is running at the Casino and the Thalia theater in New York city. Mr. Ford's company is composed of forty lyric artists headed by the two celebrated prima-donna Miss Alice May, and Miss Marie Bockell, and is composed of such artists as Mr. Philip Branson, Louis W. Raymond, Louis Carlberg, George Roseman, Samuel Reed, and others equally well-known. Miss Genevieve Reynolds, Miss Louise Eissing, and Miss Lucy Mitchell among the leading ladies of Mr. Ford's company are spoken of in the highest terms by the press in all the cities of Texas in which they have appeared. The chorus of Mr. Ford's company is declared to be decidedly the best of all the operatic organizations now traveling.

On Tuesday evening, December 18th, Washington Irving's legendary idyl of the Catskills, entitled "Rip Van Winkle," set to music by Planquette, the famous composer of "The Chimes of Normandy," will be sung. The sale of reserved seats for both operas is now open at Elser's book and stationery store.

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Sweet Gum.

When we consider the medical authority of the world recognizing our sweet gum to be the finest stimulating expectorant known, and that the pro-prietor of "Taylor's Cherokee Remedy of Sweet Gum and Mullein" has the formula of the Cherokee nation of incorporating the sweet gum with the tea of the mullein plant of the old fields—which many of our readers will remember our grandmothers making under the direction of the old family physician for croup, whooping cough and colds—it is no wonder that "Tay-

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Worn, Weary, and Wretched.

"As weak as a cat" is an expression frequently used ted sufferers who are trying to tell how forlors they fed to correct expression, for a cat is one of the most agile and use the correct expression. imals in existence. It would be more correct to say, "are limp old rag," for that gives the idea of utter inability the self up. The weary person who feels thus is generally un, woeful, and wretched.

Sometimes it is a case of overwork, and sometimes of incomishment. The blood in the system of a person who is a velue in a wretchedly thin condition. It needs from to impart ades, and strength. This is to be had by taking Brown's Iron Prima safe and the condition. and strength. This is to be had by taking Brown's Bon Runsafe and proper preparation of iron in connection with gest adtonics. The physician and the druggist can tell the wereast valuable a remedy Brown's Iron Bitters has been found in a strength of the strength of the

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